

WAREHOUSE FOR ICE FIRM IS COMPLETED

New Plant Also to House Garage; Service of the Company to Be Bettered

The Union Ice company announces the completion of its new warehouse and garage building at Twenty-second and Filbert streets, adjoining the manufacturing establishment.

"Our service fleet of trucks supplying ice to customers of the Union Ice company in the Eastbay is now housed in our own special building," states R. P. Bentley, Oakland manager. He added: "Our mechanics will be able to avoid any interruptions in summer ice delivery through the facilities afforded for taking proper care of the equipment. There is a complete machine shop, carpenter shop and paint shop. The refrigerator display room is located on the ground floor along the front of the building, while the warehouse for refrigerators, capable of storing seven carloads, is located on the second floor level.

"The ice plant of our company in Oakland has a capacity of one hundred tons of ice per day, which not only serves as a supply for our Oakland customers, but through spur track facilities, furnishes ice to refrigerator cars for the preservation of perishable foods during shipment to other communities.

"Since the Union Ice company commenced business in Oakland in 1883 many revolutionary changes have occurred in the ice industry. Today, in addition to manufacturing ice, expert assistance is given in the solution of refrigeration problems to both the home owner and to the commercial customer. Ice refrigeration has become a science which can estimate accurately the proper equipment to give correct refrigeration temperatures with greatest economy. For this reason we now handle modern up-to-date ice refrigerators in a wide range of styles and capacity, to fill every requirement, large or small. Our staff of employees is especially trained to give the people of Oakland the best refrigeration service.

"Goodyear tires have been adopted as standard equipment for our truck fleet, to further minimize possible delays."